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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/772,445  
Applicant : KLEINMAN  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to an Office Action Election Requirement dated January 25, 2005, Applicants elect the species comprising amino acid sequence LKKTET. Claims readable thereon are claims 1-40, 53-61 and 133-175.

Applicants understand that upon allowance of a generic claim, Applicants will be entitled to consideration of claims to additional species which are written in dependent form or otherwise include all the limitations of an allowed generic claim.

Respectfully submitted,

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